

KEYNOTE PRESCRIPTION IN ACUTE AND EMERGENCY CASES

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Dear Friends and colleagues, Hon'ble dignitaries & Revered Seniors. We have assembled here on an auspicious occasion of the 46th West Bengal state conference Of H.M.A.I for uplifting and multi-dimensional application, acceptance, and development of homoeopathy in a critical time when modern treatment is seeking a suitable alternative like I.S.M & Homoeopahty for Iatrogenesis, drug resistance, and at the same time crisis in the standard of teaching prescribing and study & application of our science.

We are grateful to organizing committee for giving us a chance of learning and Union & delighted to see the sincere efforts intis propagation scientifically in all levels and to meet with all of you for a mission. A great cause of concern is "Service of Ailing Society by strict application of the law of Similia".

Let us concentrate on our theme "keynote prescription in Acute & Emergency cases". I shall add thus its Justification in our day-to-day practice life.

We know that Acute diseases come suddenly last indefinitely and disappear with or without medicine(Caused by virus/bacteria/parasite/protozoa/Helminthiasis etc) for the temporary explosion of latent psora.

But all emergencies may not be acute diseases but maybe an outcome or outburst of crisis in some chronic diseases like P. T. B, Filaria, Malaria, Diabetes, Hypertension, C. V.A , Renal Diseases, Heart diseases, Allergic dise. Cancer, AIDS Insanity, etc.

We should remind ourselves about the most dangerous mode of practices of modern medicine at present by suppressing the natural diseases by application of analgesics, ointment, injudicious application of Antibiotics, steroids & indiscriminate use of Sera, Vaccine & Vitamins & minerals.

So that a comprehensive & thorough knowledge of modern medication is essential to combat the emergencies by our remedy after a sound knowledge of organon, Philosophy, Mat. medica & its proving, the experience of our own and pioneers in the field of Homoeopathy.

Keynote prescription is one way of other modes of prescription.

On the basis of specifics,

Prophylactic & Genus Epidemicus, Constitutional or General Characteristic of J. T. Kent,

Psycho- Somatic Symptoms of Pierre Schmidt

& Thomas P. Paschero, Totality of Charact Symp. on Repertorization or Computer analysis,

Causations (Immediate & Remote). Removal of suppression, Drugmiasm.,

miasms of vaccinosis, Miasmatic causes (Psora, Syphilis, Sycosis, Tubercular).

Nosodes & Bowel Nosodes / on Blood investigation by Dr. Diwan Harish Chand /

Relationship of remedies, /Alternation & combination of

remedies/Tautopathy by / Dr. R. P. Patel / Organo Pathic / Dispositions & lack of reaction / Promisalone by Dr. Rajan Sankaran etc.

Please try to collect a wonderful book " Principles of prescribing" by Dr. K. N. Mathur, M. B. B. S. (Luck.) D. F. (homoeo, London) for full awareness and apply it Judiciously according to our own experience, situation & circumstances.

Dr. Hahnemann points out in Article No. 153 of organon of medicine the importance of keynotecharacteristic symptoms in the selection of the similimum thus. They are more striking, singular, uncommon & peculiar characteristic sign & symptoms of the Case which are occasionally an infallible guide in the Acutes & Emergencies specially.

Dr. H. N. Guernsey was the first to realise it. Then Dr. H.C. Allen, Dr. E. B. Nash & Adolph Von Lippe endorse its utility. Dr. J. T. Kent although admits its importance but warns us that there is an inherent chance of missing the essence or totality or Anamnesis of the case if we only depend on keynote which may suppress the Acute Condition or worsen its disordered state. But we should stress more on Key Totality.

Example:

Please collect the books listed below for various interesting cases cured by the only clue of keynotes.

KEYNOTE MENTAL GENERAL

1. Loathing life, must restrain to prevent shooting herself	Natrum Sulph
2. Weeping when thanked aggravation. In the afternoon 4-8 p.m.	Lycopodium
3. Melancholy and attacks of anxiety & restlessness during a thunderstorm. < from music	Natrium Carb
4. Sad, weeping mood without cause <by consolation.	Natrium Mur

KEYNOTE PHYSICAL GENERAL

1. All the complaints < in the wet weather, damp dwelling. > in dry weather.	Nat Sulph
2. Red sand in urine & children cry before urination	Lycopodium
3. Great debility caused by heat of summer or from chronic effects of sunstroke.	Natrum Carb
4. Hot patient, desire cold bathing, cold food, salt, meat, tight clothing, clay etc.	Natrium Mur
5. Disproportionate Tachycardia	Pyrogenium
6. Urine strong smelling like horses urine	Acid Nit
7. Itching > warmth & covering.	Arsenic, Rumex, Tub Bov

KEYNOTE PARTICULAR SYMPTOMS

1. Burning of the soles of the foot with fidgetiness	Medorrhinum
2. Pain in small spots, shift rapidly from one part to another, appear and disappear suddenly.	Kali Bich
3. Rheumatism or gout begins in lower limbs and ascends. < at night, warmth of bed > by cold.	Lidum Pal
4. Fan like motion of alae nasi with right sided pneumonia.	Lycopodium
5. Eruption hair containing.	Kali Bich, Petroleum, Irish Verse.

KEY TOTALITY

- Affection of right sided organ , liver, ovary , throat with flabby moist tongue, profuse thirst with salivation & grinding of teeth sleep during, desire to lie on abdomen or right side. –
Podophyllum.
- Left sided affection with costiveness , chilliness, sweating of uncovered parts with aversion to motion, fixed and false imagination. --- **Thuja Oc**
- Chilly, pain sticky or pricking as from splinter < by touch with affection of mucocutaneous junction (cracks and fissures), , irritable , anxiety, and sensitiveness, thirstlessness, chilliness, strong smelling urine < carriage riding, warm covering.---
Acid Nitric
- Lack of reaction , in chronic psoric ailment with recurrence with his suppressed itch. Pessimistic, Depressed, evil forebodings, chilly all excretions have in carrion like odor. Itching < by warmth of bed, heat-ness of head, > by cold. – **Psorinum**

it fails to yield desired result or relapse of the Acute condition we should remind other options for consideration.

(i) Miasmatic block, (ii) re-evaluation or re- anamnesis, (iii) other obstacles,

(iv) Think of his constitutional drug which acted beneficial previously, (v) Posology, (vi) Acute miasm (vii) Vaccination, (viii) Diet & Regimen.

SCOPE OF HOMOEOPATHY IN EMERGENCIES & MEDICAL ETHICS

It solely depends on the skill, experience and correct individualization & selection of remedy but there is lot of risk & danger as society is not in favor of Homoeopathy in

emergencies. Our ethical code of conduct should be clearly notified by central council in this regard.

The stigma of consumerism, prenatal Sex-determination, abortion, female infanticide

Genetic engineering & possibility of cloning of human beings & Euthanasia. Patients indignity is the areas of special concern.

Dr. C. M. Boger said that History & acute or immediate etiology like emotional crisis i.e. grief, anxiety, fear, excitement, night watching, excesses, overwork, over eating, etc. will help 50% in selection of proper medicine, Specialization in our science is needed for perfection & efficiency by minimizing the vast illustrated medical world & application of modern development & thought admissible in our ethics by maintaining vital functioning of the patient i. e. his nutrition, water & electrolytic balance, circulation, ventilation to enhance his vital status.

Conclusion- At last we pay tribute to all stalwarts of Homoeopathy who enrich our science significantly and all of us should try to culture it positively by constant study of books, periodical & Journal and should think & apply ourselves individually in the way of our achievement without prejudice,

Prospects of Homoeopathy largely depends on Co-ordinated works of Teachers, practitioner & Researchers in the true line of Hahnemannian spirit by the following steps. (a) Developments of applied mat. Medica & Therapeutics & Repertory in the light of modern developments in the way of its Standardization, in the therapeutic field of all the branches of Modern Medicine to focus our efficacy by formulating a pilot project by Central Authority for the purpose by keeping records of Key Totality in each case.

(b) Development of Unified Approach where judicious application of Allopathy, Homoeopathy, Ayurveda (i. S. M.) & Raja yoga will certainly complement one another in restoration of our Health in a minimum expenditure. Let us remember our Great Master daily by fulfilling His will & mission in the ser

vice of our ailing society to become our self a true Hahnemannian Homoeopathic Physician.

Long live Hahnemann ! Jayatu Hahnemann.

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